IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Inge JOHANSEN et al.

Serial No. 10/018,174

Filed March 12, 2002

EQUIPMENT FOR CONTINUOUS, HORIZONTAL CASTING OF METAL

: Confirmation No. 8526

Docket No. 2001 1826A

Group Art Unit 1725

Examiner Kevin P. Kerns

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Petition hereby is made for a two month extension of time to respond to the communication of November 9, 2004.

The fee of \$450.00 is

- (X) submitted herewith.
- to be charged to Deposit Account No. 23-0975. A duplicate copy of this Petition is
- () Small entity status of this application is established by a Small Entity Status Assertion which
 - () is enclosed.
 - () has been previously submitted.

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THE COMMISSIONER IS AUTHORIZED TO CHARGE ANY DEFICIENCY IN THE FEES FOR THIS PAPER TO DEPOSIT ACCOUNT NO. 23-0975

Respectfully submitted,

Inge JOHANSEN et al.

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